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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 3, 2005

Dear Sir:

This reply is being filed in response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2005 in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants also petition for a one-month extension of time, thereby extending the time for response through February 3, 2006. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, any deficiencies that may arise, and to credit any overpayment which may be owed to Applicant in connection with this reply and application in general to Deposit Account No. 19-5425.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.